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FOLLOWING REPEAT BANGKOK 7080 SENT ACTION SECSTATE,
MAY 1ST:

QUOTE S E C R E T BANGKOK 7080

DEPT PLEASE PASS CINCPAC

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, TH

SUBJ: US FORCE REDUCTIONS IN THAILAND

REFS: (A) STATE 86789

(B) BANGKOK 7006

1. ON MAY 1 GENERAL KRIANGSAK APPROVED PROPOSED FORCE
REDUCTION SCHEDULE (REFTEL A) AND PROMISED "MAKE OTHER
THAI GOVERNMENT AGENCIES UNDERSTAND." HE PLANS HAVE
RTG ISSUE "BROAD BRUSH" ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT MAY 7.
THIS WILL REFER TO MARCH 29 STATEMENT AND SAY THJT
WITHDRAWAL PLANS FORESEEN THERE HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND
JOINTLY AGREED. IT WILL NOTE THAT AGREED WITHDRAWALS
INCLUDE STRATEGIC, TACTICAL, AND SUPPORT AIRCRAFT BUT
NOT GO INTO SUCH DETAILS AS NUMBERS OF PLANES AND
PERSONNEL OR LOCATIONS.

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2. KRIANGSAK INTENDS FOR RTG TO FOLLOW UP INITIAL

ANNOUNCEMENT WITH MONTHLY ANNOUNCEMENTS GIVING
SPECIFICS RE WITHDRAWALS SCHEDULED THAT PARTICULAR MONTH.
RTG WILL PROBABLY ISSUE FIRST SUCH ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT
MAY 14 TO COVER DEPARTURES SCHEDULED ESECOND HALF OF MAY.

3. KRIANGSAK WAS PARTICULARLY SATISFIED TO NOTE SCHEDULED
DEPARTURE OF B-52S AND PROPOSED THAT NEWSMEN BE INVITED
COVER DEPARTURE FIRST GROUP LATER THIS MONTH.
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UNQUOTE RUSH

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